

SALEM

EDWARD JETER, REPORTER.

Rev. Melvin Killian and bride, after a short stay at the home of the groom's father, left yesterday for McGaheysville, where they will visit the family of the bride, after which they will locate at Smithsburg, Md., where Mr. Killian will have charge of the Lutheran Church of that place.

The Sunbeam Missionary Society of the Methodist Church were royally entertained Wednesday night at the home of Councilman J. B. Camden. Good things were handed and the little folks enjoyed themselves hugely.

C. L. Moore, of Washington, a brother of our townsman, Roy Moore, is on a flying visit to the family of his brother.

Misses Margie and Eliza Logan have gone on a visit to their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Graybill, at Amsterdam.

On Wednesday night, at the elegant home of Capt. J. C. Langhorne, a delightful dancing party was given in honor of Lewis and Miss Annie Langhorne.

Cadet M. M. Mills, a graduate of the V. M. I., who has been visiting his young friend, W. W. Ballard, Jr., left yesterday for his home at Stony Creek, Va.

F. H. Chalmers, of the Farmers National Bank, left Wednesday night for Chicago, where he went on business.

Mrs. Dr. E. A. Parsons and two children, after a pleasant visit to her father, W. D. F. Duval, leave to-day for their home in Chicago.

Mrs. Hildreth, mother of Dr. Hildreth, of Roanoke College, left yesterday for Washington city, where she goes to join her son, after which they will spend the summer in New Jersey.

Leon A. Palmer, formerly superintendent of the pants factory at the Holstein Woolen Mills, left yesterday for Lynchburg to enter upon his duties in a similar concern, owned and operated by Gugginheimer Bros., of the above city. His many Salem friends wish him success.

Editor C. D. Denit and wife returned yesterday from a pleasant and profitable trip to Charlottesville and the Nashville Exposition.

Miss Lou Etchinson, who has been visiting E. A. Day and wife, left yesterday for Washington city, where she will visit a week before returning to her home at Damascus, Maryland.

Miss Minnie Obenchain, who has been visiting Miss Maud Obenchain, at her home on White street, left yesterday for her home in Bluefield, W. Va.

Miss Thalia Haywood, of Hollins, who has been visiting Miss Bessie Tompkins, left for her home yesterday evening.

Sheriff Zirkle returned from Lynchburg yesterday morning with the youthful negro thief, Sam Martin, whom he placed in jail. Sam is only 9 years old, but confessed to being one of the parties who recently broke into Charles Wagner's store.

Mr. and Mrs. Prufer, of Staunton, Va., arrived in Salem yesterday evening to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Lottie Huff. Mrs. Prufer is the only daughter of the deceased. The funeral will be conducted this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the Lutheran Church by Mr. C. K. Bell, assisted by the Rev. James E. Armstrong, after which the remains will be laid to rest in East Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Judge W. Griffin and children have returned from an extended visit to friends in Farmville, Lynchburg and Bedford county.

Miss Greer, of Rocky Mount, and Miss Robinson, of Indian Rock, who have been visiting the family of David Ayres on Market street, returned to their homes Wednesday.

At a meeting of the Ancient Order of the Knights of the Mystic Chain, on Monday night, the following officers were elected for the six months term beginning July 1, 1897: James Reynolds, sir knight commander; E. E. Meadow, vice-commander; Perry Starkey, first lieutenant; O. L. Stearnes, A. R. S.; F. O. Huff-

man, C. of S.; Noah Adams, A. G. of S.; Frank P. Goodwin, I. G. The officers who hold over until January 1, 1898, are: E. A. McCauley, chaplain; Jno. H. Camper, R. S.; T. R. Boon, treasurer; E. M. Gross, O. G.

Mrs. Martha A. Lam, an aged and highly esteemed widow, died at her home on Academy street yesterday morning at 7 o'clock, after a lingering illness from consumption, aged 67 years. Mrs. Lam was a noble Christian lady, and is survived by several sons and daughters, all of whom are grown. Her funeral will be conducted at the Baptist Church, of which she was a devoted member, at 3 o'clock to day, by her pastor, Dr. J. B. Taylor. The interment will be in East Hill Cemetery.

The mass meeting on July court day next, the 19th, is called for the purpose of electing delegates to the Roanoke convention of August 11th, and to elect a new county committee of the Democratic party. The mass meeting to elect delegates to the convention to nominate legislative candidates will be advertised later on. That convention will be determined as to time and place by the chairman of Craig, Roanoke county and city.

Special rate electric cars Salem to Roanoke, Saturday, July 3d, and Monday, July 5th—20c round trip. No tickets. Conductors will collect 10c each way.

FREEDOM CRAZED MIM.

Liberated After a Long Term, a Convict Becomes a Raving Maniac.

Culpeper, Va., July 1.—Spottswood Loving, a young negro of this place, who has been serving a long sentence in the State penitentiary, returned here yesterday immediately upon his release. While conversing with his colored associates this evening he complained of a peculiar feeling in his head and started to go home. When only a few yards distant he suddenly became a raving maniac. He had to be lodged in jail. His cries and struggles created great excitement.

SUICIDE IN SAN FRANCISCO.

John C. Capron, a Native of Virginia, Shoots Himself.

San Francisco, July 1.—John C. Capron, a wealthy resident of this city, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head while temporary insane from physical suffering. He leaves seven stepdaughters, five of whom are married, and an estate valued at \$150,000. He was 76 years old and a native of Virginia.

IRBY UP FOR SENATOR.

Decides to Make the Race After a Conference With Evans.

Columbia, S. C., July 1.—Ex-Senator John L. M. Irby, who did not run for reelection last year because assured that the Tillman forces were against him, has decided, after having an all-night conference here with John Gary Evans, who has recently returned from a visit to Senator Tillman in Washington, to make the race for the Senate in the primary.

The campaign opens next Monday. Irby was State chairman and organizer of Tillman's forces in '90 and is considered the best man for such work in the State. He announced his determination to day, saying he was running on a straight "tariff for revenue only" platform and would make it hot for Senator McLaurin.

"For three years I have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house," says A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., "and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by H. C. Barnes, "He puts up prescriptions."

Fresh lot of Lowmy's Chocolates and Bon Bons just received at J. J. Catogni's.

AGAINST THE TRUSTS.

An Amendment Prepared and Soon to Be Reported.

Washington, July 1.—An anti-trust amendment to the tariff bill has been practically prepared and the rough draft will probably be submitted to-day to the judiciary committee, which has the matter in charge. There has been no formal meeting of the committee as yet, but the preparation of the amendment was placed in the hands of a sub-committee consisting of Senators Davis, Thurston and Nelson. They found the ground work already laid out for them in the amendment which Senator Nelson introduced some days ago. This amendment related especially to the sugar trust, but the committee has decided to broaden its application so that it will include all combinations. Its gist is as follows:

"Every person, firm, or corporation, who shall monopolize or engross, or who shall combine or conspire with any other person, firm, or corporation to monopolize or engross, the trade or commerce in any article affected by the tariff bill among the several States or with foreign nations, for the purpose of unduly enhancing the price of such article, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$500 nor more than \$10,000, and by imprisonment at hard labor not less than six months nor more than two years. And in case of a corporation found guilty of said offense, the jury shall also ascertain and find what officers of the corporation caused or directed the corporation to commit such an offense, and such officers, on being found guilty of causing or directing the corporation to commit the offense of which it is found guilty, shall be liable to the punishment aforesaid."

"There is some talk that a caucus will be required to settle the verbiage of the amendment to be incorporated in the bill, there being a radical element among the Republicans which desires really effective legislation. The majority of the Republicans, however, will be quite content with anything that will pass muster as being directed at the trusts, without regard to its standing in the courts. This will be, in fact, the character of the legislation finally enacted. There will be nothing radical and nothing that will interfere with the collection of revenue, the loss of which would be deemed of far more importance than any victory gained over a trust."

There is considerable concern manifested over the probable lack of revenue for the first year that the new law will be in operation.

It has been practically decided to strike out all the money raising internal revenue features of the bill, so that the receipts estimated from increased beer and tobacco taxes will have to be eliminated from consideration. This means a loss of some \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000, and if the duty on tea is also stricken out, as it is said it will be, some \$13,000,000 more will have to be subtracted. Just what will be put in place of these money-raisers is yet an open question. A prominent member of the finance committee said yesterday that as the bill now stood it was impossible to expect sufficient revenue from it during the first year of its operation.

TACOMA BANK SUSPENDS.

Tacoma, Wash., July 1.—The Union Savings Bank and Trust Company has closed its doors and gone into the hands of a receiver, as a direct result of the recent supreme court decision declaring a large amount of city warrants to be illegal. Judge Williamson appointed Charles Richardson to take charge of the company.

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PHILADELPHIA ONE-PRICE CLOTHING HOUSE.

Clearance Sale.



We to-day inaugurate a clearance sale that eclipses all previous ones by offering about 300 Men's Suits that sold from \$7.50 to \$10, not many of any style, and to close these lots quickly we give you your choice for \$5. Sizes will soon be missing; hurry!

Men's Fine Worsteds that were \$10 to \$20 are now reduced at least one-third from former prices.

A Great Trouser Sale.

We mean to close out our stock of Trousers if low prices talk. All wool Trousers that were \$2.50 now \$1.50. Other lots \$2 now \$1. Other lots \$3.50 now \$2. Other lots \$5 now \$3.50. If you are seeking Trousers at a low price you want to see us.

Boys' and Children's Suits.

Lively selling in these goods the past few weeks; still a good assortment to select from. \$2 Suits now \$1. Other lots \$3 now \$2. Other lots \$4 now \$3. Other lots \$5 now \$3.50.

Children's Wash Suits 50 cents up.

You can keep cool in Crash Suits, Serge Suits and Alpaca Coats and Vests.

Men and boys will find plenty to choose from and our price, as usual, low.

To be comfortable wear our Shirts—a great stock to select from; our prices will be found right—50c up for good fitting Shirts.

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OUR GREAT SUMMER REDUCTION SALE MOVES ON!

SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK:

Linen Homespuns Reduced.

Four pieces Real Linen Homespuns, the real good, firm sort, made to sell at 40c the yard; very stylish for Skirts and suits, in plain and striped effects, full 36-inch wide, to go at 29c the yard.

Silk Striped and Figured Linens.

Six pieces of Silk and Linen effects, Fine Sheer Linens with pretty stripes and figures of silk woven through them, high grade goods, have been 69c the yard, to go at 39c.

Big Lot of Sample Pieces of Stamped Linen at One-Half Regular Price.

Have just received from a manufacturer a big lot of Sample Pieces of Stamped Linen containing all the newest ideas, no two alike, to go at one-half from regular price.

GENTLEMEN'S UNDERWEAR.

Fifty dozen Balbriggan Shirts at 25c each. Fifty dozen Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, regular 50c quality, at 39c.

Twenty-five dozen Gentlemen's Jean Drawers, good quality; well-made, at 25c. The 39c quality.

Fifteen dozen Gentlemen's Night Shirts, full size, well-made, at 39c. Always have been 50c.

Fifteen dozen Gentlemen's very fine quality Night Shirts, real well-made, good quality cotton, handsomely embroidered in colors, at 50c. The 75c grade.

Some Great Hosiery Values.

100 dozen ladies' very fine quality full seamless Black Hose, the former 12½c grade, at 10c.
50 dozen ladies' full seamless Tan Hose, worth 12½c, at 10c.
100 dozen boys' and girls' full seamless Hose, fast black and good wearing quality, at 10c, worth 12½c everywhere.
100 dozen gentlemen's fine quality imported Half Hose, in black and tan, the 17c values, at 12½c.
100 dozen gentlemen's Half Hose, full seamless, fast black, at 10c the pair.

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Woolen Skirts Reduced

About six or eight Ladies' Checked Woolen Skirts to be closed to-morrow as follows:

Skirts that were \$3.99, now \$2.25.
Skirts that were \$3.25, now \$1.99.
Silk Skirts that were \$5.50, now \$3.50.
Silk Skirts that were \$8.50, now \$4.99.

10 Dozen Gentlemen's Percale Shirts Reduced

About 10 dozen Gentlemen's Percale Shirts, with attached collars and cuffs, made to sell at \$1, to close the lot they go at 59c. Big bargain.

Black Woolen Dress Goods Reduced.

About five or six pieces of B. Priestly & Sons' Finest Wool figured Black Dress Goods, have been \$1 the yard; we will close the lot at 69c the yard. Great value.

White Goods Special.

1000 yards of India Linen, real pretty quality, in short lengths, at 8c yard.
20 pieces Checked Nainsook, fine quality, good, durable wear, worth 8c, at 5c the yard.
10 pieces large Polka Dot Curtain Swiss, made to sell at 25c, only 12½c.
10 pieces Ruffled Muslins and all the new style materials for Curtains at reduced prices.
50 pieces of Imperial Long Cloth, 12 yards to piece, very fine quality, at \$1.12½ instead of \$1.31 piece.
50 pieces of fine soft finished Nainsook, 12 yards to piece, at \$1.40 per piece instead of \$1.50.
10 pieces good, heavy Bleached Sheetting, at 19c, worth 22½c.

BIG LINE OF NEW CRASH.

Suitings for Skirts and Suits open to-morrow at 25 per cent. less than former prices.
Five pieces Heavy Lattice Striped Real Linen Crash Suitings, entirely new, formerly 25c, to go at 15c.
Five pieces of Heavy Momie-weave Linen Crash Suitings, entirely new, worth 25c, at 15c the yard.
Twenty pieces Linen Suitings in plain and plaids, very desirable for Skirts and Suits, at 12½c; early price 15c.
Full 36-inch wide Heavy Crash Suitings, early price 40c, to go at 30c the yard.